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COMMERCE FOR KRAUSE

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1. EMBASSY DAKAR GREATLY APPRECIATES EFFORTS MADE BY STATE AND COMMERCE TO RECEIVE MAGATHE SOW, DIR INTERNATIONAL FAIR OF DAKAR, IN IMPRESSIVE FASHION ON SHORT NOTICE. FOLLOWING SOW VISIT HOPE WASHINGTON'S QUESTIONS ABOUT FAIR RESOLVED. EMBASSY PREPARED TO HANDLE RECRUITMENT OF US EXHIBITORS WITH SUPPORT OF COMMERCE.

2. ACCORDING TO FAIR OFFICIALS DAKAR, MORE THAN FORTY COUNTRIES HAVE AGREED TO PARTICIPATE INCLUDING WEST GERMANY, AUSTRIA, BELGIUM, CANADA, FRANCE, GREAT BRITAIN, USSR, PEOPLE'S REP OF CHINA, AND NUMEROUS AFRICAN NATIONS. ACCORDING TO FRENCH COMMERCIAL ATTACHE, PRC HAS RESERVED 1,700 TO 2,000 SQ METERS AND USSR ALSO PANNING MAJOR EFFORT. SIZE OF FRENCH AND OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN PARTICIPATION NOT ESTABLISHED BUT EXPECTED TO BE SIGNIFICANT.

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3. BELIEVE SOW'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON EMPHASIZES BOTH IMPORTANCE
SENEGALESE ATTACH TO FAIR AND EXTENT OF THEIR PREPARATIONS. AGAIN
RESTATE IMPORTANCE I ATTACH TO US PARTICIPATION THIS FAIR IN
LIGHT OF US COMMERCIAL AND POLITICAL INTERESTS IN SENEGAL.
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